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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Amy Farmer Derick  
4 on the occasion of being named William Fremd High School's  
5 distinguished graduate for 2011; and

6           WHEREAS, Amy Farmer Derick is a 1994 graduate of William  
7 Fremd High School in Palatine; she is currently a  
8 board-certified dermatologist; and

9           WHEREAS, Amy Farmer Derick has published scholarly  
10 articles in the areas of vascular surgery and dermatology; she  
11 is the author of the dermatology chapter of the book, "The  
12 Ultimate Guide to Choosing a Medical Specialty", and the  
13 marketing chapter of the book, "Cosmetic Bootcamp Primer"; her  
14 pioneering research on body art has received global recognition  
15 and has been featured or discussed in The Wall Street Journal,  
16 on CNN, and on The View; and

17           WHEREAS, Amy Farmer Derick played an integral role in  
18 broadening awareness of the demographics and risks associated  
19 with the resurgence of body art; she served as a media resource  
20 for the American Academy of Dermatology and the Women's  
21 Dermatologic Society; she has also allowed high school students  
22 who are interested in the field of dermatology to shadow her

1 during workdays at her business, Derick Dermatology in  
2 Barrington; and

3 WHEREAS, Amy Farmer Derick was recently named to the  
4 faculty of Northwestern University's Feinberg School of  
5 Medicine as a clinical instructor; she also serves on the Board  
6 of Directors of the Women's Dermatologic Society; and

7 WHEREAS, Amy Farmer Derick has achieved academic  
8 excellence in high school, graduate, and post graduate studies;  
9 and

10 WHEREAS, Amy Farmer Derick has served as a model of hard  
11 work, integrity, dedication, and success for the people of  
12 Northwest Cook County and the State of Illinois; therefore, be  
13 it

14 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
15 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
16 we congratulate Amy Farmer Derick on the occasion of being  
17 named William Fremd High School's distinguished graduate for  
18 2011 and wish her continued success and happiness in the  
19 future; and be it further

20 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
21 presented to Amy Farmer Derick as a symbol of our esteem and

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1 respect.